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ALEXANDRIA, VA. MONDAY EVENING MAY 9, 1910.

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PROPOSALS.—Proposals for the furnishing of all material for the excavation and for the construction of a sewer on Cameron street from Fayette to Henry and on Henry street from Cameron street for such distance as may be decided by the committee on streets, will be received at the office of the city engineer until noon WEDNESDAY, May 18, 1910. The right is reserved to reject any and all proposals. Specifications and plans can be seen at the office of the City Engineer.

E. S. LEADBEATER,
Chairman Committee on Streets.

OFFICE CITY SCHOOL BOARD,
ALEXANDRIA, VA., May 5, 1910.

Sealed proposals will be received by the Clerk of the City School Board, for the Committee on Finance and Accounts, until SATURDAY, May 14, at 12 o'clock M., for furnishing FORTY TONS or more of WHITE ASH COAL and ONE HUNDRED TONS OF CUMBERLAND COAL—or more, for the public schools.

ALSO TEN CORDS OF SAWED AND SPLIT PINE WOOD.

Both coal and wood to be delivered and stored as needed. The right to reject any or all bids is reserved.

Proposals to be addressed to the Clerk of the City School Board.

VIRGINIA.—In the Clerk's Office of the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, on the 20th day of April, 1910,

William F. Triplett
vs.
Elizabeth F. Triplett

Chancery.

The object of this suit is to obtain for the plaintiff, William F. Triplett, an absolute divorce from the defendant, Elizabeth F. Triplett, on the grounds of unlawful desertion and abandonment for a period of three years prior to the institution of this suit.

At appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendant, Elizabeth F. Triplett, is a non-resident of this State: It is Ordered, That said defendant appear here-within in fifteen days after due publication of this order be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the city of Alexandria, once a week for four consecutive weeks, and posted at the front door of the Court House of this city.

A copy—TESTE
NELLIS GREENAWAY, Clerk,
Samuel G. Bent, p. q. —april 24-1910

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CLAIMS ENGLISH THRONE.

John George Guelph, who claims to be the eldest son of the late King Edward VII, by a marriage which Queen Victoria made her son disavow, and, therefore, the rightful ruler of the British Empire, yesterday was seen at his home in B-ookly, and asked what he intended to do to gain the throne.

"The prince," as he is still called by his wife and friends, although Edward VII. is dead, displayed a cablegram expressing his grief, which he had just dispatched to George V. at the palace in London.

"The matter of the prince's succession," said the princess, who was present at the interview, "is with the people of Great Britain and the leading statesmen there. It is up to them."

"The prince" was very much broken with grief and sobbed. He wore black, even to the necktie. And his grief seemed to be genuine. He is a tall, well-built man of 49, who looks younger, and there is no doubt that he bears a great facial resemblance to the English royal family.

The "princess" told an outline of the story. The late king, she said, while Prince of Wales, married the daughter of an English peer. Queen Victoria disapproved and forbade the public announcement of the marriage. "Prince John" was born. The peer's daughter was humiliated out of sight and never acknowledged. But the marriage was never annulled. The prince went to India while very young. There he learned of his parentage and was offered a title if he would go to Australia and stay there. But, because the acceptance of the title would be the price of his mother's good name, he refused it. He demanded acknowledgment for her sake.

She never received it, and is now in the Holy Land as a missionary. Neither Guelph nor his wife would tell who she is.

Guelph says he had a great many letters from the late king acknowledging him as his son.

A touch of rheumatism, or a twinge of neuralgia, whatever the trouble is, Chamberlain's Liniment drives away the pain at once and cures the complaint quickly. First application gives relief. Sold by W. F. O'Leigh and Co. and Richard Gibson.

INSPECTOR BYRNES DEAD.

Thomas Byrnes, formerly chief inspector and superintendent of police of the city of New York, the more famous for his work in the detective bureau, died at his home in that city on Saturday night from chronic indigestion. He was sixty-six years old.

It was Byrnes who first drew the deadline in the financial district, below which no crook was allowed to stray, on penalty of instant arrest.

Byrnes was born in Ireland, but came to this country when very young. He joined the police force early and rose rapidly. At 28 he was a captain. Eight years later he won promotion to the rank of chief inspector and was assigned the task of reorganizing the detective bureau by his persistency and skill in breaking up a notorious gang of burglars who had looted the Manhattan Savings Bank of \$3,000,000.

On the day of his appointment he announced the deadline at Fulton street just above the offices of Jay Gould, who later became his close friend, and, with other shrewd advisers, helped him to make a fortune in Wall street which he testified before the Lexow committee had in 1894, reached \$350,000. Only last Saturday week he transferred to his wife real estate valued at \$550,000.

Byrnes was not ungrateful. His friend, Jay Gould, became the victim of a blackmailer, who wrote so many threatening letters that Gould was in constant fear of his life. The letters were always mailed on a Sunday, but never from the same box.

There was no clue to the writer's identity, and to catch him seemed hopeless. Byrnes undertook the task. First he distributed photographs of an envelope addressed to Jay Gould by the blackmailer among the entire police force. Then, on a Sunday, he stationed a policeman, plain clothes man or postal inspector at every mail box in the city. Every time a letter was dropped in the box was opened and the letter inspected. Finally the right man dropped in the right letter and was promptly arrested.

"Ole Wells," as he was known, was convicted and got a long term. The case, perhaps, brought Byrnes more fame than any of his others.

In the detective bureau the chief ruled supreme. He heaved out all dead wood, brought in his own men and kept them working. Arrests became more numerous and sentences heavier. During his term the aggregate of sentences imposed on prisoners arrested reached 10,000 years.

ROOSEVELT'S APPRECIATION OF EDWARD.

Speaking of the late king's text, Mr. Roosevelt on Saturday gave an illustration of what he termed the finer sense of things which the king possessed.

"Next to the ring John Hay gave me," he said, "I value the miniature King Edward sent me, after I became president, of John Hampden. That was

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\$5 Silk Petticoats \$2.89

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WASHINGTON, D. C.

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"I have a personal feeling about the king's death. I know, from having been president, that he had an earnest desire to keep the relations between Great Britain and the United States on the closest and most friendly terms."

"King Edward's death removes one influence that tended strongly for peace and justice to international relations. His own people and other lands must feel that loss."

MR. ROOSEVELT IN BERLIN.

Emperor William has decided to accept Mr. Roosevelt's suggestion regarding changes in the programme for his reception in Berlin, and notified the American ambassador yesterday that he will not meet the ex-president at the railway station and will not be able to receive him as his guest in the Berlin castle.

The emperor also has explained to Ambassador Hill that he is so overwhelmed by the death of King Edward that he regards it as improper to attend any of the dinners to be given in Mr. Roosevelt's honor and, therefore, excuses himself, with cordial assurances of regret, from being present at the dinner which the ambassador himself will give.

Nor will the emperor attend Chancellor von Bethmann-Hollweg's dinner, as he intended, but the Chancellor and Herr von Schoen, secretary for foreign affairs, will be present at Ambassador Hill's dinner, although the ambassador must omit invitations to all persons of the court circles, the emperor having ordered four weeks of mourning.

Mr. Roosevelt will have lunch with the emperor but will not be a guest at the palace.

The splendid work of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets is daily coming to light. No such grand remedy for liver and bowel troubles was ever known before. The tablets bless them for curing constipation, sick headache, biliousness, jaundice and indigestion. Sold by W. F. O'Leigh and Co., and Richard Gibson.

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Lot 2—One thousand yards

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Special price, 38c yard. Regularly 45c.

Lot 3—Two thousand yards

Plain and Printed Chiffon.

Another very beautiful silk-and-cotton fabric. Very desirable for commencement and class day dresses; also for evening wear at seashore or mountains. Shown in plain weaves and plain and self-colored, dotted, and jacquard designs, in white, the pastel shades, and street colors.

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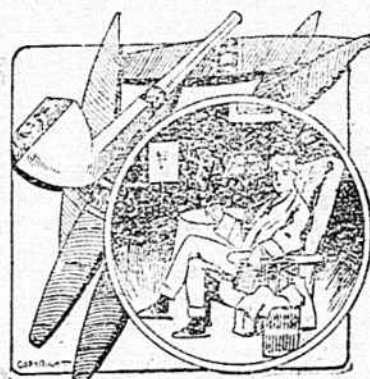
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